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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Prior to examination of the above-referenced application, please amend the application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 61-125 without prejudice.

Please add new claims 126-147 as follows.

126. A method for resuscitating dormant, moribund or latent bacterial cells comprising, contacting the bacterial cells with an isolated polypeptide selected from the group consisting of:





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